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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 12 June 2007 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☒ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

*Examiner further notes that applicant's comments regarding reasons for allowance is acknowledged. For claim 62, the claim language, "multiple sets of reference decoder parameters" is slightly different from that of claims 34 and 39, which state "multiple sets of buffer parameters". In either case, the claimed features are allowable over the prior art of record.*



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